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In re application of: Douglas M. Carson

Application No.: 10/779,437

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For: IDENTIFIER TAG TO TRACK LAYERS IN A MULTI-LAYER OPTICAL DISC

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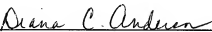
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Assignee: **DOUG CARSON & ASSOCIATES, INC.**  
Application No.: **10/779,437** Group No.: **2627**  
Filed: **February 13, 2004** Examiner: **Henok G. Heyi**  
For: **IDENTIFIER TAG TO TRACK LAYERS IN A MULTI-LAYER OPTICAL DISC**

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.114)**

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, for the above identified application.

**TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE**

2. This request is being submitted:
  - i. Prior to abandonment of the application

**ENCLOSURES**

3. Enclosed herewith are:

An amendment, including new arguments and new evidence in support of patentability.

**FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)).**

4. This application is on behalf of other than small entity.

Continued Prosecution Request Fee: 810.00

### FEE FOR CLAIMS

5. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS REMAINING AFER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	25	MINUS	31	=	0	x \$	52.00 = \$ 0.00
INDEP.	3	MINUS	4	=	0	x \$	220.00 = \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+	\$	390.00 = \$ 0.00
						TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$ 0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

### EXTENSION OF TIME

6. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this is a conditional petition and authorization to pay the necessary fees to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

### TOTAL FEE(S) DUE

7. The total fee(s) due is/are:

Continued Prosecution Fee (Section 1.17(e)) \$810.00

Total Fee(s) Due: \$810.00

### PAYMENT OF FEE(S) DUE

8. Please pay the fee(s) for this continued examination application as follows:

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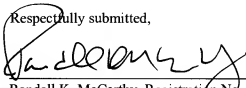
## INVENTORSHIP

9. This application as amended names as inventors the same inventors as previously designated for the claims.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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